



1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Representative Calvin
4 Giles of Chicago on his service to the people of his
5 legislative district and our State; and

6 WHEREAS, Representative Giles has been a member of the
7 Illinois House since 1993 and has served this body with honor
8 and distinction; and

9 WHEREAS, Throughout his legislative career, Representative
10 Giles has been a champion for those ignored or neglected by
11 society; he has worked diligently to further the cause of
12 equality and justice for all people; first and foremost, he has
13 fought tirelessly for the best interests of his constituents
14 and the communities he serves; and

15 WHEREAS, He is the Chairperson of the Elementary and
16 Secondary Education Committee and a member of the committees on
17 Telecommunications, Financial Institutions, and Tourism and
18 Conventions; and

19 WHEREAS, Representative Giles has many accomplishments of
20 which to be proud, among them: 37th Ward Legislator of the
21 Year; Volunteer Service Award, presented by REAC Center;
22 Outstanding Volunteer Award in the struggle to prevent child
23 abuse, presented by Pre-T.E.C; and appreciation awards from
24 Chicago State University and the Chicago Teachers Union; and

25 WHEREAS, Representative Giles earned his B.A. in
26 Management and Finance from Northeastern Illinois University;
27 in addition to his responsibilities as a legislator, he also
28 works as a well respected landscape designer; and

29 WHEREAS, Prior to serving in the General Assembly,

1 Representative Giles public service included work as an
2 Administrative Assistant to 37th Ward Alderman and
3 Committeeman Percy Giles of Chicago; previously, he worked as
4 an electrical cardiogram technician, an experience that helped
5 to shape his understanding of the need for legislators to take
6 an active role in increasing health care access for the
7 millions of Illinois citizens who lack insurance; therefore, be
8 it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
10 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
11 we wish Representative Giles all the best in his future
12 endeavors and congratulate him on a job well done in the
13 General Assembly; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
15 presented to Representative Giles, his wife and their daughter
16 as an expression of our esteem and respect for our colleague
17 and friend.